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Mr. Michael Best  
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Reference: F-2016-00804

Dear Mr. Best:

This acknowledges receipt of your 4 August 2016 letter asking for the status concerning your 1 January 2016 Freedom of Information Act request for the following records:

**“Records and source code relating to Prosecutor's Management Information System (AKA Promis, PROMIS, Promis '82, Enhanced Promis) and derivatives thereof, and the related matter of Inslaw Inc. v. United States Government. [You request inclusion of] any records relating to the transfer and/or sale of PROMIS and/or PROMIS-derivatives between Robert Hanssen and his Russian handlers and the sale of PROMIS and/or PROMIS-derivatives on the Russian black market (blat), and its alleged use by al-Qaeda and/or Usama bin Laden.”**

Due to an administrative oversight, we failed to respond to your status request in a timely way. We apologize for this delay. Please be assured that your request is still in process, and that we are making every effort to complete it as soon as possible. We checked on the status of your case and have been provided an estimated completion date of 3 March 2021 (which is subject to change). If you do not receive a response by that date, please contact us. Meanwhile, we appreciate your patience and understanding while we continue to process your request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Lilly".

Mark Lilly  
Information and Privacy Coordinator